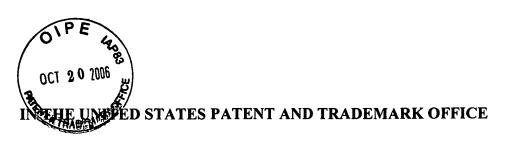
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and §§1.97 and 1.98 as amended, Applicant cites, describes, and provides copies of the following art references. Under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) however, copies of U.S. patent reference(s) are not provided.

FOREIGN PATENT REFERENCE:

Japanese Patent Publication No. 2001-134690 to Takasaki entitled MOBILE
 NETWORK SYSTEM AND INFORMATION PRESSING METHOD, published on 18

May 2001 (with English abstract).

OTHER DOCUMENTS:

Japanese Office action for Japanese Patent Application No. 2004-100758 issued on
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DISCUSSION

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According to the Japanese Office action, Takasaki JP'690 discloses that a host computer

3 is connected to a JRA host computer 4-1 for applying computer betting processing to horse racing.

The JRA host computer 4-1 is connected to a credit company host computer 4-1 or financial

institution host computer 4-3 for executing processing for settling a betting amount/refund money.

By connecting the host computer 3 and a PDA 1 by radio through an area server 2 having a radio

communication function, betting from the PDA 1 to horse racing is enabled. The host computer 3

automatically recognizes betting is accepted by the JRA host computer. An application for PDA 1

is installed from the area server 2 as needed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(d), the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that each item of

information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from

a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application not more than three (3) months

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The citation of the foregoing references is not intended to constitute an assertion that other

or more relevant art does not exist. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to make a wide-ranging

and thorough search of the relevant art.

No fee is incurred by this Statement.

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